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NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE SOUTHEAST SUPPLEMENT 03-202-01-03-SER Habitat Conservation and Restoration EFH Delegations of Authority 03-202 EFH Delegations of Authority - Background 03-202-01 EFH DELEGATION OF CONSULTATION AUTHORITY TO SOUTHEAST REGIONAL ADMINISTRATOR NOTICE: This publication is available at: http://www.nmfs.noaa.gov/directives/. OPR: F/HC Type of Issuance: Renewal (01/06) SUMMARY OF REVISIONS: [Approving Authority name] [Approving Authority title]



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REDELEGATION OF AUTHORITY FROM THE ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR FOR FISHERIES DELEGATIONS OF AUTHORITY

TYPE OF ACTION:

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AUTHORITY DELEGATED TO:

Regional Administrator, Southeast

Region

TYPE OF DELEGATION:

Administrative

SOURCE OF AUTHORITY:

Magnuson-Stevens Fishery

Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act), 16 U.S.C.

1801 et seq.

AUTHORITY TO DO WHAT:

Conduct consultations with, and make recommendations to, federal and state agencies regarding activities affecting essential fish habitat, in accordance with section 305(b) of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, 16 U.S.C. 1855(b), except in those instances where the Director, Office of Habitat Conservation, in consultation with the Southeast Region, determines that the activities have national significance. This authority may be redelegated to the Deputy Regional Administrator (RA) or Assistant RA for Habitat Conservation, who may redelegate authority to conduct individual EFH consultations to area or field office supervisors, but can not redelegate authority for programmatic consultations or general concurrences.

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Assistant Administrator for Fisheries	Date
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